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SHEET CAPACITOR, IC SOCKET USING
THE SAME, AND MANUFACTURING
METHOD OF SHEET CAPACITOR

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement of December 3, 2004 to elect a single species for further prosecution in the present application, applicants hereby elect species I, exemplified in Figs. 1-3. Claims 1, 2 and 14-17 are readable on the elected species. Furthermore, it is noted that claim 1, as well as claim 3 are subgeneric claims in that they encompass numerous embodiments in addition to the elected embodiment of species I. As such, upon a finding of allowability of claim 1 and/or claim 3, any claim depending from such allowable claim should also be examined.

In view of the above election, a full examination on the merits of this application is now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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